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- Donald Duck's middle name is Fauntleroy.
- Daffy Duck's middle name is Dumas.
- The longest interruption of a TV program was when the BBC interrupted a Mickey Mouse cartoon to announce the beginning of World War II. Over 6 years later, the cartoon was resumed in the exact spot it had been cut.
- It was Italy's Benito Mussolini who in 1938 banned Mickey Mouse comic books.
- The late Alfred Hitchcock was quoted as saying: "Disney, of course, had the best casting. If he didn't like an actor, he just tore him up."
- You could say "public relations" is what Walt Disney did for the mouse, but not for the rat. The mouse, Mickey or other, now is generally regarded as a cute - even lovable - critter, while its larger likeness (the rat) remains the most despised animal on Earth.
- Q: Wasn't Donald Duck once banned?

A: Not quite. A youth group proposed such in 1978. With the complaint that Donald and Daisy went together for 50 years without getting married.

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